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Enclosed for filing is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of:

Inventor: George Michael Hey

For: **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR RATE ADAPTATION CONTROL**

Enclosures:

- ☒ Specification (pages 1- 11); claims (pages 12-19); abstract (page 20)
  - ☒ EIGHT sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings
  - ☒ Declaration or Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
  - ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
  - ☐ Incorporation by Reference--The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
  - ☐ Deletion of Inventors (signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
  - ☐ Power of Attorney
  - ☒ Assignment with cover sheet
- Assignee Name and Address: Cisco Technology, Inc.  
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- ☒ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i) for Nonpublication

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment  
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Total Claims	57-20	37	x \$ 18 =	\$ 740
Independent Claims	4-3	1	x \$ 84 =	\$ 666
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The invention disclosed in the above-referenced application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).

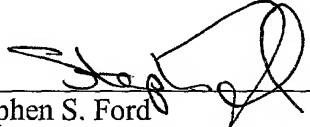


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